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## Unemployment insurance claims for the week ending April 6, 2002

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There was an increase in the number of regular unemployment insurance claims filed in Indiana during the week ending April 6, according to the Department of Workforce Development.

A total of 82,897 unemployment claims were filed during the

## **UI Benefit STATS**

Regular state & federal benefits paid	\$17,648,016
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Regular benefits paid year to date	\$257,164,061
Trust fund balance	\$1,275,428,154

week. This was up 5,051 from the preceding week. In the same week one year ago, 62,856 unemployment claims were filed.

Initial UI claims totaled 6,697 an increase of 1,343 over the preceding week's total. Layoffs were reported in one telemarketing firm in the state during the week.

Continued UI claims were up to 75,235. The remainder of total unemployment claims were filed by federal civilian employees and ex-military personnel.

## Unemployment Insurance Trends

